Program Strategy International Trade Dept Economic Development

DESIRED FUTURE

GOAL 6 - Economic Vitality

Desired Community Condition(s)

- 34. The economy is diverse and broad-based.
- 37. Businesses develop and prosper.

Measures of Outcome, Impact or Need

	FY 03	FY 04	FY 05	FY 06	FY 07	
New Trade lead referrals	N/A	N/A	15	25	50	
New export initiatives started by Albuq.						
companies as a result of program services	N/A	N/A	5	12	25	

PROGRAM STRATEGY RESPONSE

Strategy Purpose

Support bi-lateral international trade efforts and increase international business opportunities for Albuquerque companies to encourage growth and retention of local business to increase export of goods and services, awareness of international trade as a vehicle for market growth, marketing of Albuquerque companies abroad and gain recognition for Albuquerque as an international business destination.

Kev Work Performed

- Assist companies to become export-ready.
- Market Albuquerque's technology and research and development (R&D) base.
- Facilitate international technology R&D collaborations and partnerships.
- Sponsor trade missions.
- Host foreign business delegations.
- · Assist in market research for companies.
- Distribute trade leads.
- Develop contacts abroad.
- Present various business seminars on opportunities in specific countries.
- Develop ABO-Mexico direct flights.

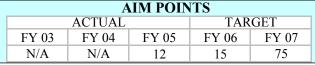
Planned Initiatives and Objectives

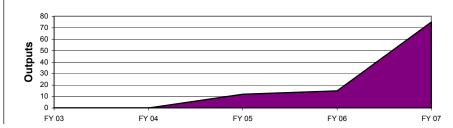
GOAL # 6 Objective 6: Continue efforts to develop direct international flights to Mexico and explore opportunities to develop direct international flights with Canadian destination. Develop and promulgate the business case for these flights. Submit progress report to the Mayor and City Council by end of 2nd qtr FY07.

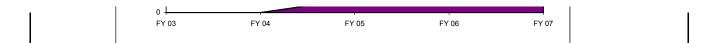
Objective 7: Establish and coordinate quarterly international trade development seminars for Albuquerque companies regarding international trade opportunities, processes, and procedures. Report on attendance and business results in the City's Performance Plan for FY08 and beyond.

Objective 8: Create an "International Business Resource Center" at the Office of Economic Development, to include market research literature on foreign industries and markets, online databases, and business meeting space for the purpose of initiating and facilitating international business development. Include performance measures on its use in the City's Performance Plan for FY08 and beyond.

Accelerating IMprovement (AIM)	Why is this measure important?
	International trade development (export and import transaction) is an integral part of economic development and job creation.







Total Program Strategy Inputs		Actual	Actual	Actual	Beginning	Mid-year	Proposed
	Fund	FY 03	FY 04	FY 05	FY 06	FY 06	FY 07
Full Time Employees	General 110	3	3	3	3	3	3
Budget (in 000's of dollars)	General 110	22	84	227	248	248	310

Service Activities

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	Input	Fund	FY 03	FY 04	FY 05	FY 06	FY 06	FY 07
Budget (in 000's of dollars)	General	110	22	84	227	248	248	310
		Me	asures of	Merit				
# of new international business	contacts							
developed		Output	N/A	N/A	15	25	50	100
# of reverse trade and trade mis	ssions							
abroad hosted		Output	N/A	N/A	11	7	12	20
# of trade progams or briefings	for new-to-							
export, ready-to-export and exp	orting							
companies.		Output	N/A	N/A	8	50	65	75
# of business delegations and fo	reign							
direct investment opportunities	attracted							
via marketing initiatives		Output	N/A	N/A	6	25	40	70

Strategic Accomplishments

For 2005: Coordinated Inaugural Bilateral Commission Mtg and Trade B2Bs (Business to Business); Participated in Small Business Int'l Trade Conference in Chihuahua; Assisted with OED (Office of Economic Development) Trade Development Mission to Germany; Created OED-IBA (Int'l Business Accelerator) Trade MOU (Memorandum of Understanding); Facilitated Trade mtg with Tremec & CIDETEQ (Center for Research & Development in Electro Chemistry) in Queretaro, Mexico; Coordinated 2nd ABQ-Chihuahua Bilateral Commission mtg; Attended NAFTA II Conference.

Measure Explanation Footnotes

¹ The Int'l Trade Division was first staffed w/the appointment of the International Trade Manager on 8/9/04, then with the Senior Trade Specialist on 11/15/04.